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MEMORANDUM

Just
Circular

March 12, 1964

TO: Messrs. Ball and Belin

FROM: Melvin A. Eisenberg

During the course of one of his interrogations, Oswald stated that after drinking a Coke he stood around for five to 10 minutes with Bill Shelley (who acted as foreman of Oswald's department) and then went home because, based on Shelley's remarks he did not think there would be any further work. (5.97)

1. In the course of your investigation into this claim, I think you should inquire whether in fact the employees of the Texas School Book Depository were given the afternoon off, and if so, what time they left and when the decision was made to let them go.

2. We should determine whether any TSBD employees other than Oswald were "missing" at the time Shelley noted Oswald was missing, or later.

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